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Application Number	10/728,601
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First Named Inventor	Nancy I. Srebro
Art Unit	3765
Examiner Name	Ismael Izaguirre
Attorney Docket No.	510063.401

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2005

☒ Application claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$180)**

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**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
_____ -20 or HP = _____	X	_____	= _____	_____	_____	_____

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
_____ -3 or HP = _____	X	_____	= _____

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**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

 Other: Information Disclosure Statement
**180**
**SUBMITTED BY**

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Nancy I. Srebro  
Application No. : 10/728,601  
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I hereby certify that no item set forth on the attached form PTO-1449 was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and, to my knowledge, after making reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56(d) more than thirty days prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Please acknowledge receipt of this Information Disclosure Statement and kindly make the cited reference of record in the above-identified application.

A fee of \$180 is submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(d). The Director is authorized to charge any other fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1090.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION	
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	AK					
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	AO					

**OTHER PRIOR ART** *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

	AP	S. Schneider, "Scrap Frenzy: Even More Quick-Pieced Scrap Quilts," Martingale & Co., Woodinville, Washington, 2001, pp. 1-28, 46-51, and 57-63.
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DATE CONSIDERED

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